

PUBLIC LAW 66-79th Congress (Chapter 756 -2d Session)
(S. 1917)

To enact certain provisions now included in the Naval Appropriation Act, 1946, and for other purposes.

Sec. 6. Within the limits of appropriations made therefor, the Secretary of the Navy is authorized to provide for all emergencies and extraordinary expenses arising in the Naval Establishment, but impossible to be anticipated or classified, and when so specified in an appropriation such funds may be expended on the approval or authority of the Secretary of the Navy and for such purposes as he may deem proper, and his determination thereon shall be final and conclusive upon the accounting officers of the Government, and he may make a certificate of the amount of such expenditures as he may think it advisable not to specify and every such certificate shall be deemed a sufficient voucher for the sum therein expressed to have been expended.

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Title 31 U.S.C. - Sec. 107

Settlement of expenses of intercourse with foreign nations.

Whenever any sum of money has been or shall be issued, from the Treasury, for the purposes of intercourse or treaty with foreign nations, in pursuance of any Law, the President is authorized to cause the same to be duly settled annually with the General Accounting Office, by causing the same to be accounted for, specifically, if the expenditure may, in his judgment, be made public; and by making or causing the Secretary of State to make a certificate of the amount of such expenditure as he may think it advisable not to specify; and every such certificate shall be deemed a sufficient voucher for the sum therein expressed to have been expended. (R.S. 291; June 10, 1921, c. 18 304, 42 Stat. 24.)

Sec. 107a Same; delegation of authority by Secretary of State

The Secretary of State may delegate to subordinate officials the authority vested in him by Section 107 of this title pertaining to certification of expenditures. July 5, 1946, c. 541, Title I 60 Stat. 452; July 9, 1947, c. 211, Title I, 101, 61 Stat. 280.